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Sir:

On *December 14, 2000*, applicants filed the above-captioned application with the U.S. Patent Office. May we please hear from you regarding the current status of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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